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**A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER**

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**B. FIELDS SEARCHED**

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**C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT**

Category *	Citation of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
X,P	US 2003/0230337 (Gaudiana et al.) 18 December 2003 (18.12.2003), paragraphs [0015], [0049]-[0050], [0079]-[0080], [0085]-[0086], [0104]-[0107], [0111-0116], [0122], [0131]-[0137], [0147], [0161], [0179], and [0206].	1-59
X,P	US 2003/0192585 A1 (Beckenbaugh et al.) 16 October 2003 (16.10.2003), paragraphs [0041][0043][0046]-[0047]; and figures 4, 6, 16, 19 and 22.	1-19 and 25-41
X	US 5,897,945 (Lieber et al.) 27 April 1999 (27.04.1999), column 1, line 29 to column 2, line 42; column 3, lines 27-65; column 4, lines 8-39 and 48-64; column 6, line 3 to column 7, line 63.	1-59

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